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NORTH MONTPELIER

Willie Tibbets spent Thanksgiving at his home in Marshfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Guyette and family visited at Mr. H. C. Hollister, in Marshfield last week.

Mrs. J. White of Calais visited her sister, Mrs. Clifford Rudd, recently.

Arden Chandler is helping at the creamery.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Templeton of Franklin Falls, N. H., visited at Victor Templeton's over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Henry Kelton of East Montpelier was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Ellen Nye Lawrence of Plainfield visited relatives and friends in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stoddard and children spent Thanksgiving at Plainfield.

Glenn Martin was in Barre Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams went Wednesday to their home in Northfield Falls for the rest of the week.

Webster Cate of Calais visited Mrs. Cate at Mrs. Fannie Little's last week.

The last meeting of the Red Cross workers was held at the home of Mrs. Jerry Byron, where bandages and surgical dressings were made. There was no meeting this week on account of its being Thanksgiving week.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Byron have returned from Pittsfield, Mass., and for the present will reside at Jerry Byron's.

Clarence Martin and family of Cabot and Walter Chapin and family were at Glenn Martin's for Thanksgiving.

A. Titbourn of Montpelier is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Delbert Pearsons, this week.

Frank Colson of Waterbury Center visited friends in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guard Noble and family of Plainfield have moved to her father's on the east hill.

Arthur Cook visited at his home in Barre over Thanksgiving.

Carl Clifford was ill part of this week and unable to work.

MARSHFIELD

From Dec. 15 to April 1 the library will close at 8 p. m., and it will be closed all day on Christmas and New Year's.

H. E. Brown returned last week from Newbury, where he has been working during the fall.

M. C. Ide of Groton spent Thanksgiving with his brother, R. R. Ide.

Mrs. Emery was called to Peacham again last Wednesday to attend the funeral of her father. Her mother was buried on Monday of last week.

Miss Marion Taylor was home from Montpelier for Thanksgiving.

Ralph Ide was a visitor in Barre and Montpelier last Tuesday.

Mrs. Gertrude Folsom went to Lisbon Thursday to spend Thanksgiving with her father and sister.

Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Evans returned to their home in Essex Junction Friday, after spending a few days with Mrs. Evans' parents.

Charles Labarron had the misfortune to break his arm recently. He and his wife have just moved to Chelsea, where his son resides.

Miss Hazel Billings of Barre spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Taft.

George E. May has purchased the building lot owned by Oliver Soley on Depot street.

Miss Florence Wooster was at home from Barre for the Thanksgiving recess.

Attention is called to the fact that a fine new work entitled, "The Foundation Library for Young Folks," consisting of 11 volumes, has recently been purchased for the library and it is hoped that the public will avail themselves of the opportunity to become familiar with this excellent set of books.

Miss Sadie Huntington of Barre was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Boudry a few days this week.

A union Thanksgiving service was held Thursday evening in the Congregational church and was well attended. Rev. Mr. Platt, pastor of the M. E. church, delivered a very interesting Thanksgiving address.

Mrs. Rose Sheple of Waterbury was the guest of her niece, Mrs. G. E. May, Thanksgiving day.

Marjorie Lamberton, Gladys Newton, Leola Taft, Evelyn Furness, Helen Lamberton, Percy Pitkin and Earle Meares were home from Goddard for the Thanksgiving vacation. Laura Bliss and Stanley Lyndes were home from Montpelier seminary.

It is understood that Miss Ethel Bohannon is to teach the grammar school during the winter term, as Miss Alice Clark is unable to teach on account of poor health.

WOODBURY

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis were in Morrisville Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Davis' sister.

Mr. Albert Crawford, who has been quite seriously ill for the past four weeks, is convalescing.

Philip Drennan is a guest of his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Drennan, at East Calais.

Mrs. Lizzie Glidden is convalescing from a severe attack of the grip.

Mrs. W. C. Daniels returned home Friday from a three weeks' visit with relatives in Cohasset, Mass.

Mac Webber is home for a short vacation from his school duties at Montpelier seminary.

Robert Weeks has moved his family to the quarry into one of the company's tenements.

Sidney Weeks has returned from Barre and gone to work for the Woodbury Granite company.

HARDWICK

W. L. Dow was home from his work in Boston over Thanksgiving.

B. F. Howard and family of Morrisville were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Morse last Thursday.

Mrs. W. W. Domey and daughter passed the day, Thursday, with relatives in Walden.

Horace Harrington was in town Thursday and Friday from the cantonment at Ayer, Mass.

Four carloads of Christmas trees were shipped from this station this week, besides several carloads of pulp wood.

F. B. Morse and Mrs. J. W. Rivers and children of Morrisville and C. W. Moulton and wife of North Woodstock were Thanksgiving guests at C. O. Morse's.

M. M. Stocker of Danville, county road agent, was in town Friday.

H. F. Cummings was home from Boston to spend Thanksgiving with his family.

Miss Alice Rogers of North Troy was a guest this week at the home of Harry Dow and family.

A. J. Remillard and family of St. Johnsbury were guests at R. S. Webber's for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Will White was a guest of relatives in Morrisville Thursday.

Master Merin Forbes of St. Johnsbury was a guest of his grandparents, L. F. Bishop and wife, Thanksgiving.

L. F. Noble was a guest of relatives in Hyde Park Thursday.

Miss Martha Morse was home from Montpelier seminary for the annual Thanksgiving vacation.

Charles A. Bixby and family are spending a couple of weeks or more with friends in Bristol, Conn.

Clarence Bates, an employee of Clark's garage, is at his home in Morrisville for a couple of weeks' vacation.

Joe Messer, who works at Clark's garage, is at his home in Waterbury Center for a few weeks' vacation.

Miss Ellen Bishop was home from her work in St. Johnsbury for the Thanksgiving recess.

Miss Vera Thomas, a student at Lyndonville, is a guest of relatives here for the Thanksgiving vacation.

Harry Beaulac of Orleans spent Thanksgiving and the last of the week at the home of his mother, Mrs. Katherine Beaulac.

Mrs. Annie Mack of St. Johnsbury was a guest at the home of P. C. Kittredge and wife Thursday.

P. C. Kittredge left for Boston yesterday morning, where he has a good position with a furniture house.

Mrs. J. C. Eastman of St. Johnsbury was a guest at W. T. Thomas' the last of the week.

Millard Gray and wife of Johnson were guests at the home of W. H. Clark and wife Friday.

The basketball game and dance at the gymnasium last Wednesday evening was only fairly well attended. The game was between the academy Reds, which was called the first team, and the academy Hyphens, which is a bunch of players trying for positions on the first team.

The game was much faster than the score would indicate, the Reds winning 39 to 20. It was also a very clean game and developed the fact that there is plenty of good material in school for a first-class team this winter.

Three new members were admitted to the boy scouts at the regular meeting Thursday night, becoming members of troop No. 1.

The Red Cross ladies have packed and shipped 75 well filled Christmas bags, which was the local branch's share of gifts to make the soldier boys happy.

Leland Dimond of Bakersfield has been a guest at Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Paquette's the last of the week.

Dorman Bridgman has so far recovered from his recent illness that he is able to be over town again.

C. A. Roberts returned yesterday morning from a trip to Cambridge, Mass.

The total figures for the big Red Cross drive which was completed here last Saturday night stands at \$2,813.20. The boy scouts will begin the monthly collection Monday morning, so have your contribution ready.

Raymond Piner of Shirley, Mass., was a business visitor in town last Thursday and Friday. Mr. Piner was a former resident here.

The Good Hearted class of the Congregational church met at the home of Mrs. J. R. Stewart last night, the occasion being a sort of farewell party to one of its members, Miss Jessie Stewart, who leaves the first of the coming week for a visit in Springfield, Mass., after which she goes to Lowell, Mass., where she has employment. Her many friends here regret her departure, as she has been employed here in the laundry for the past ten years or more, and will be greatly missed in the community. She was presented with a handsome gift as a token of esteem.

Those entertaining Red Cross parties the past week were Miss Nathalie Stewart, Mrs. J. R. Stewart, Mrs. J. H. McLeod, Miss Catherine Blackhall, Mrs. W. H. Wheatley and Mrs. W. H. Taylor.

MIDDLESEX

Miss Bernice Price of Johnson Normal school is at home for the Thanksgiving recess.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stockwell and daughter of Richmond spent Thursday at N. Stockwell's.

Regular meeting of Middlesex grange Monday evening, with election of officers. A full attendance is desired.

Several of the young people from here attended the box social at Duxbury Corner Tuesday evening.

Misses Bessie and Mabel Stockwell came Wednesday from the schools in Norwich and Newport, N. H., for the remainder of the week.

Frank Jackson of Underhill spent Thursday with his sister, Mrs. H. B. Nichols, and family.

J. M. Boquet has returned from a business trip to Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Russell and daughter of Montpelier were guests at L. J. Russell's Thursday.

Misses Linda Crane and Mabel Crane of Montpelier and Burlington spent Thursday at Albert Crane's.

CABOT

The Red Cross sale will be held in the Congregational church vestry, Friday Dec. 7, afternoon and evening. Fancy articles, aprons, handkerchiefs, holders, food, jelly, etc., popcorn and popcorn balls will be sold; also a few stuffed dolls and animals. The fair committee has deemed it advisable, owing to the shortage of sugar, to eliminate the sale of home made candy. A short program will be the feature of the sale in the evening.

Miss Louise Barber has kindly consented to give a few readings, and there will be musical numbers. No articles of any kind will be sold at auction. The fair committee, however, plans to affix a price on all donated articles so that everyone will be able to buy. Come and help the local Red Cross organization.

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GROTON

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mills of South Ryeate were callers in town Monday.

Frank Jones returned Monday from Concord, where he has been employed for several months.

Mrs. Cheney of East Burke was a recent visitor in town.

Mrs. John Ingram of Barre was visiting relatives here Wednesday.

Mrs. Scott Welch of Barre was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ricker were visitors in St. Johnsbury Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Nettie Hutchins is in Plainfield caring for Mrs. Nelson Welch, and infant daughter.

Albert Bailey of Wells River was a business visitor in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pillsbury spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pillsbury in Barre.

M. E. Beckley was in Marshfield several days this week doing repair work on telephone lines.

Mrs. E. F. Corliss of Boltonville and Mrs. Eunice Hanson were in town Tuesday.

Miss Mattie Hatch of Newbury has been supplying the place of Miss Ruth McDonald in the telephone office while the latter has been ill with chickenpox.

Mrs. Zella Tenney and two children of Springfield are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Chalmers passed Thanksgiving with Mrs. Chalmers at St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. Dora Chase, who is working in Ryeate, was at her home here over Thanksgiving.

Wilfred Lagare, who is employed in Bellows Falls, and Miss Viola Lagare, who is attending school at St. Johnsbury, passed the Thanksgiving recess at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lagare.

Dexter Whitehill and daughter, Lenna, of Lexington, Mass., arrived in town on Wednesday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Service at the Methodist church Sunday morning at the usual hour, when the pastor, Rev. F. W. Lewis, will speak on the subject "Finding One's Level." There will be no service at Westville until further notice.

Mrs. E. R. Gilbert and daughter, Miss Bertha Gilbert, of Lyndonville, were Thanksgiving day guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Coffin. Miss Gilbert returned home Friday, while her mother will remain until the first of the week.

R. A. Davidson returned Monday from a business trip to New York City.

Mrs. F. A. Church of West Topsham has been visiting her brother, Charles Heath, for a few days on his return from a visit to her sons, Hiram and Clyde Church, at Woodsville, N. H.

Rufus Hosmer of Woodsville, N. H., was an over-Sunday visitor at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hosmer.

Hosea Caldwell returned Tuesday from the Mary Fletcher hospital at Burlington, where he has been for several weeks recovering from an operation.

Miss Josephine Frost went to her home in Montpelier Wednesday to pass Thanksgiving.

Mrs. E. F. Clark, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Adolph Barney, in Worcester, returned home Tuesday.

Ellen, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Whitehill of St. Johnsbury, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Burnett and daughter, Rubina, of Barre, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hall, recently.

Charles A. Adams of Groveton, N. H., was in town Thursday to pass Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Adams.

S. Annis has moved to Groton pond, where he has employment.

A pleasant family gathering was held Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Heath, when 24 of their children and grandchildren gathered at the home to enjoy the day.

WASHINGTON

Washington grange, Nov. 268, elected its officers for the ensuing year last Friday evening as follows: Master, M. F. Hyland; overseer, C. E. Stanley; recorder, Mrs. H. W. Hyland; steward, C. H. McAllister; assistant steward, Alfred Dasher; chaplain, Rev. Paul Weller; treasurer, Frank Ordway; secretary, Lena J. Dasher; gatekeeper, Byron Sanders; Pomona, Mrs. C. E. Stanley; Flora, Mrs. Byron Sanders; Ceres, Mrs. C. H. McAllister; pianist, Mrs. Paul Weller.

Don't forget the extension school, to be held at schoolhouse hall beginning Monday afternoon, Dec. 3, and continuing until Friday, Dec. 7. Bring your lunch and hot coffee will be served. Let everyone turn out and make this a success. All welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown and son, Ellice, from Montpelier spent Thanksgiving at W. H. Bradbury's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dasher spent Thanksgiving at Vershire with Mrs. Dasher's brother, who was home from Camp Devens for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Patterson were in Washington over Thanksgiving.

Bessie McDonald is reported as not so well at this writing.

BETHEL

Mrs. Robert F. Keating Died in Boston City Hospital.

Mrs. Robert F. Keating of Boston died in the Boston City hospital Thursday morning after an operation. The remains were brought here yesterday, as well as the bereaved parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bowen of Walsfield. The funeral was held this morning in the Catholic church, with burial at Randolph. She was born in this village, graduated from Whitcomb high school in the class of 1897, followed the profession of a nurse several years and last year married Mr. Keating, formerly of this place. She was a niece of Mrs. E. E. Cushman, Mrs. J. B. Regan and J. C. Moriarty of this village.

Samuel Webb, Jr., was home for Thanksgiving from White River Junction and John E. Parrott from Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Preston of Windsor were with relatives here over Thanksgiving.

Rising Star grange will give a progressive whist party at Bascom theatre next Monday evening.

Neville B. Byam and John N. Byam of Randolph were Thanksgiving day guests at R. W. Morse's.

Mrs. Matilda Rogers and her daughters, Carrie and Eleanor, were Thanksgiving day guests in Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Parrott of Boston are visiting relatives here and at South Royalton.

The Christmas tree shipments of Henry T. LaBar & Sons of Delaware (LaBar & Sons), from this station are concluded to-day, with a total of 13 carloads, besides many from Rochester and Woodstock, which also were sent and shipped under the personal supervision of Harry G. LaBar, who, with Mrs. LaBar and their son, George, has made his home at the inn for several weeks.

The young men of the Barnard, Bethel group who have made many friends here in seasons and in previous seasons are Charles Scott, Philip Keller and Julius Bendix of Philadelphia, Maurice Lawyer of Trenton, N. J., Stanley Every of Canadensis, Pa., Thomas Owens and Albert Godshalk of Bangor, Pa., and Edward Gebhart of Milford, Pa.

N. E. Clifford of Burlington is visiting his son, C. G. Clifford.

WAITS RIVER

Letter from Pvt. Royal B. Downing, Who Is Somewhere in France.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Downing have just received the following letter from their grandson, Private Royal B. Downing, who is with the 103d Machine Gun Battalion, 32d brigade, 26th division, American Expeditionary Forces.

"Somewhere in France, Nov. 5, 1917. 'Dear one at home: As I have a little time, I will drop you a line to let you know that I am well and healthy and hope this will find you all the same. What is the news over there and how is the new road packing down? Have you had any freeze yet?

"Give my best regards to all the people around there and tell them I would like to hear from all of them, so that I can have the latest events once in a while. How are Bertha and Earl, Frank's folks and Dad? Tell them I will write to them all later. Have any of the boys been married since I left?

"I would like to have my father or someone of the folks send me some tobacco if they would please approach them with the subject. Well, I must close now, but will write more later. 'Royal.'

"P. S. If you see any of Capt. Brock's folks, give them my best regards."

Miss Ada Welch is home from Goddard seminary for a few days.

Miss Dorothy Richardson spent the week end in Peacham.

SOUTH RYEGATE

Mrs. R. A. Randall and grandson, Donald McClelland, of Framingham, Mass., spent Monday and Tuesday here at W. T. George's on their way to St. Johnsbury to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Randall.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goodall of St. Johnsbury spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. William Stephens.

Lieut. Jutten Longmore and Private William Bailey, jr., spent the holiday with their parents on Jefferson hill, returning at once to Camp Devens.

Samuel P. Mills, government instructor in aviation at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, came Thursday to spend a few days' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Mills. Mr. and Mrs. Mills and son spent Thursday in St. Johnsbury with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Perham.

Frederick Samuelson spent last week in Boston with his sister, Miss Corinne Samuelson. It is reported that Mr. Samuelson has given up his employment at the Charlestown navy yard and will soon go to St. Johnsbury to work for the Fairbanks Scale Co.

Alex J. Smith was in Boston last week on business connected with his enlistment in the quartermaster's department. Mr. Smith expects to be called soon to go into training, probably at St. Augustine, Fla.

Miss Florence Hall, who is studying at the Johnson Normal school, and her sister, Miss Priscilla Hall of Ryeate, spent Wednesday with their aunt, Mrs. G. W. Darling.

Thanksgiving exercises of a very attractive character were given by the three rooms of the village school, separately, Wednesday afternoon. There was a good attendance of parents and interested friends.

The village school closed Wednesday for the remainder of the week.

P. M. Beckley is cutting down the timber of what is known as the Gates' sugar place, recently purchased of S. Mills. The loss of this beautiful background of maple trees is a serious one to the appearance of the cemetery.

Miss Annie Boston of Leeds, Mass., spent Thursday with her sister, Jennie, at Hanover hospital, coming Thursday afternoon to spend Friday and Saturday at her home here. Miss Jennie, owing to a slight setback, was unable to be home for Thanksgiving, as was expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Willey and two children of Montpelier spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McLam.

It is expected that Dr. Hatch of Montpelier seminary will occupy the pulpit of the U. P. church next Sunday morning, in the absence of Rev. F. A. Collins, who is on a vacation trip to Philadelphia.

F. R. McColl, who recently sold his farm, has moved to the house recently vacated by O. H. Renfrew.

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